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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

Applicant thanks Examiner Lovel for the courtesies and thoughtful treatment extended during a telephonic interview with Applicant's representative Michael Guzniczak on Tuesday, September 15, 2009.

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At the interview, Examiner Lovel tentatively indicated that the claims presented in the Preliminary Amendment dated July 27, 2009 overcome the applied art. Accordingly, Examiner Lovel will conduct a new search and issue a further Office Action after the search has been conducted and the results thereof considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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